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MEMBER SEPARATE FROM PIEZOELECTRIC DEVICE

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November 24, 2003

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2003, please amend the
above-identified patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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